

FISCAL NOTE

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January 27, 2004

SUMMARY OF BILL: Proposes to amend Article XI to add the following language as a new Section 14: *The people of the state of Tennessee have a right to hunt, fish and harvest game within the state, subject to such regulations and restrictions as the General Assembly may prescribe by general law.*

The foregoing amendment shall be referred to the 104th General Assembly and this resolution proposing such amendment be published in accordance with Article XI, Section 3, of the Constitution of Tennessee.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$20,000 One-Time

Assumes a one-time cost of \$20,000 to the Secretary of State to print notice of the proposed amendment in certain newspapers as required by this resolution.

Article XI, Section 3, of the Constitution requires publication of the resolution before the next legislative election. This publication would occur in the Spring of 2004.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director

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